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DRY LAW WILL BE ENFORCED ALL RIGHT

States and Cities Will Be Called Upon To Help Obeyance of Law—Cabinet Still Discussing Mexico and Coal Strike—Beds Go On Hunger Strike—Late Wire News.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Enforcement of constitutional prohibition will be placed squarely upon to state and municipal authorities and the federal government machinery will not intervene unless inefficiency on the part of local officials make such action necessary, the board of temperance of the Methodist Episcopal Church was told here today by John F. Kramer, federal prohibition commissioner. It was Kramer's first pronouncement of policy since he assumed office a week ago.

Kramer said the people of the country could be divided into two classes.

"Heretofore the line of demarcation has been between those who favored prohibition and those who opposed it," he said. "From now on the line of demarcation will be between those who favor obeying the law, whether their personal views are in harmony with the law or not, and those who will be ready and anxious to violate the law."

Describing the machinery being set up for the enforcement of the prohibition laws, Kramer said the first step would be with the various state inspectors.

"One of the chief duties of the state federal director," he added, "will be to secure the backing and support of all civic, moral and religious bodies."

Affirming his belief that the great mass of the American people were at heart law abiding, the prohibition chief declared that "this fact will tell mightily in the matter of getting results from the law."

Two thousand dollars worth of goods unsold last Saturday have been gathered in the Fifth street firehouse and will be sold, commencing today with no limit to the amount which can be purchased. The goods remaining on hand are canned pears, salmon, tomatoes and peaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foley of Eureka are guests of their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Timmons, who are also entertaining Otis Timmons from the Thanksgiving holidays from his work at the University school at Davis.

Dr. Hely went to Fresno Tuesday afternoon to his ranch, expecting to be gone until Thursday.

While L. Garfinkle went to Sacramento on Sunday, his family made a visit to relatives in San Francisco.

A FEW REMARKS, PLUS

Some watches are slow because of association.
A mob has to hurry or it gets cold feet.
The carefree daughter often has a careworn mother.
Most anything looks good in a catalogue.
A fellow always finds lots of bargains while broke.
When you say you did your best, did you?
Burning the midnight oil means gasoline now.
Don't write poetry or commit other crimes.
Are you sane, or a Bolshevik or Senator?
A pessimist likes his pill turned wrong side out.
Secretary Glass seems to have cracked under the strain.
Gracious! Suppose Woodrow Wilson had been twins!
Money has been made by luck but you can't keep it that way.
If rich enough your fool streak can be charged to excentricity.
Always remember that enough is better than too much.

MISS GREATHOUSE TO BE MARRIED

As the culmination of a High School romance, Miss Isabel Greathouse announced her engagement to John Leroy Parks at the meeting of her friends of the Lorelei club last night.

Miss Greathouse is the daughter of Mrs. Ridgeley Greathouse of Tenth and Chandler, and the sister of Miss Alice Greathouse of the Pacific Electric.

She is employed in the main office of the Standard Oil company. John Parks is now living in Alameda, where he moved from Richmond.

The date of the wedding has not been set. Those present at the engagement party were: Myrtle Pearce, Idelle Whitehead, Anne Axelson, Helen Fussell, Rose Michaelian, Jessie Merritt, Liberty Wing, Helen Kingsbury, Clara Thompson, Mrs. Ridgeley Greathouse, Alice Greathouse, Isabel Greathouse.

Boy Scouts Are Hard At Work

At the meeting of the Boy Scouts last night a committee was named to draw plans for lockers to hold the boys' play equipment, these plans to be submitted at the next meeting; another committee will get material for the lockers, and another will make masks for electric lights. The boys will all help in building the lockers in the basement of Wesley Methodist church.

Rev. Little is working on a committee of local citizens, of which B. Kurz and Judge Jacobs have been appointed.

Re-registration is finished for the year. No new boys will be taken in this year. Scoutmaster Garrard is asking the boys to join the Junior Police and enter into the activities of that body.

Thursday this paper will observe the national holiday of Thanksgiving and the next morning Friday there will be no paper issued, so please do not expect it. The printers and scribes are all going to indulge in a big square meal if it finds them.

S. F. FERRY AND FACTORY COMING

The News Has Positive Information That Both These Splendid Enterprises Are Coming To Richmond, and the Professional Knockers Cannot Hinder Either One.

The News speaks with authority when it assures its readers that the proposed new ferry service between Richmond and San Francisco, and the proposed new and very large soap factory, both of which are being antagonized by the same interests which fought Richmond's harbor development recently, will both be in active operation here early in 1920.

For the purpose of blocking these two great enterprises, if possible, in any way, Attorney Pillsbury and his East Shore Land company have filed objections with the State Railroad Commission to that commission issuing to the ferry company a permit to sell a certain amount of its stock to a number of capitalists who are ready and anxious to buy it, and to share in the enterprise, financially and otherwise, and their (hand) organ down the street is publishing the attempts of these obstructions in hopes of scaring away investors.

Herewith appended are letters from three of the prominent citizens concerning the work of that organization and its influence for the boys.

"The Y. M. C. A. in Richmond through its Hi Y club is doing an amount of good beyond computation. Richmond boys have long needed a wholesome place for their evenings off. The Hi Y is proving a splendid help to the boys."

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Neither the ferry nor the factory are matters that are up to the people at all. The one is up to the State Commission for a permit and the other is not up to anybody except the company that is putting it in, and they are not asking any help from this people or anybody else, as far as we have heard.

The soap factory company will bring in here about twenty carloads of raw material a week, make it up into one of the finest soap products we ever saw in our experience, and ship it out again to the wholesale trade all over the world, just exactly as all others of our factories do. Incidentally, it will give employment to 200 Richmond men.

As to the ferry service, if it was up to a vote of the Richmond people 99 out of every 100 would be for it, as they should. Mr. Pillsbury, who does not live here at all and very seldom ever comes this way, and a few Men Fridays and (hand) organs would be all alone in their vote to hinder Richmond again in obtaining that which it wants very bad, and needs.

The News is glad to be able to assure our people that for once the efforts of those who seek to hinder Richmond's growth and prosperity will fail miserably.

Which is one more good reason for being thankful tomorrow.

Walter Gianelli of the Imperial hotel returned last night from a pleasure trip to Arizona.

Girls of the Richmond High School will have their Gym Jinks on December 12 and their Football Dance on December 5.

MICKIE SAYS

IF THERE'S A BUSINESS MAN IN THE AUDIENCE TODAY WHO'D ADVISE ME HOW I COULD GET SOMEBODY TO WRITE HIS ADS, JUST LET HIM GRAB THE NEAREST PHONE IN CALL UP THIS OFFICE. I'LL HAVE AN AD WRITER WALKING IN HIS FRONT DOOR IN FIVE MINUTES! Y'HEHHA!



PROMINENT MEN COMMEND Y. M. C. A.

Among the needs of the community for young men who belong to the evangelical churches and who can pay for what they get, the work of the Y. M. C. A. is one of the first, and is worthy of the support of all who wish to contribute, according to the leaders who are sponsoring the letters on Sunday last.

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Odessa Is Not Guilty Of Charge

After five minutes of deliberation the jury in the case of the People of the State of California vs. Odessa rendered a verdict of not guilty. Their decision was reached after a powerful argument in behalf of his client by Attorney Wilbur Pierce of the firm of Pierce & Carlson.

This case is the culmination of charges made to the Federal Department by Louis Persico that Odessa, proprietor of the Pullman hotel, was selling liquor in his establishment against federal regulations.

Persico in his arrest of Odessa for battery claimed that Odessa beat him up one night in front of Mrs. Banducci's grocery in revenge for his activity with the Federal Department. Odessa answered that Persico set upon him without warrant and used a blackjack on him, breaking his nose. He exhibited the much swollen member

ACTIVITIES FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE

Seventeen Activities Possible in Richmond For Good of All—Anyone Can Serve On Committee Who Has Good of Whole at Heart—Community Singing to Begin.

Community Service is organized common sense. It makes the community a fact instead of a name.

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The particular object for which the Community Service is formed is the development in Richmond, through public and private agencies, and by every appropriate means, of better moral and industrial conditions, health and welfare, play and recreation, higher and more adequate community and neighborhood expression and a better social life.

A survey of possibilities at this time shows that the Community Service may devote its energies for the next twelve months to the following activities:

The organization of children into Junior Community Service.

Establishment of an employment bureau.

Establishment of information service for strangers.

Stimulation of educational and cultural classes of all kinds for the benefit of young men and women.

Stimulation of Community celebrations with the view of increasing actual participation by all members of the community.

Developing Community choruses and choral clubs.

Developing Community opera, organ recitals in churches, dramatic entertainments and Community pageants.

Development of a course of recitals by visiting artists of note. Art exhibits by local, state and national talent.

Lectures and addresses on current topics, to the end that the auditorium facilities may be used continuously for the benefit of the community.

Assist churches in developing recreational use of church property and extending social contact outside the church.

Establishment of a circuit for neighborhood entertainment and social contact, in churches.

Stimulation of the evening use of playground for working boys and girls and adults, organization of gymnasium classes for girls.

As an ultimate achievement there is possibility for this committee to foster a movement for more facilities for young people.

Swimming pools and other features of a Community Center.

Committees formed last Thursday night are temporary and necessarily incomplete, as the organizer finds it impossible to know everyone in town. If you live in Richmond, you are eligible. Pick the committee on which you wish to serve and make yourself known to Judge Jacobs or Lynn Williams. Your place is already waiting for you. Get into the game.

Mrs. McGinley, Mrs. S. J. Hocking and Rev. Paul Little, the committee on the community chorus, announce that there will be a meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock at 816 Macdonald avenue for the organization of a community chorus. All who desire to take part are asked to attend.

as evidence. The jury comprised Messrs. L. A. Crampton, A. G. Powell, F. E. Peters, A. W. Bates, C. H. Fabrick, Miss M. D. Myers, Messrs. H. W. MacRacken, A. J. Otten, T. J. Caron and James Wahloy.

SOME JOKELETS

Farmer—Hey there, how come you to be up in my apple tree?
Please, mister, I just fell out of an airplane.

"I want a pair of shoes for this little girl," said the mother.
"Yes ma'am," answered the clerk, "French kid?"
"Well I guess not, she is my own child born right here."

"Madam," said the conductor on the Rio Grande poltely, to the colored passenger, "you must remove that suitcase from the aisle."
"Fo' de Lawd sake, conductor! dat ain't no suitcase, dat's mah foot."

His Better-half (regarding him from the bedroom window)—Where you bin this hour of the night?
"I've been to me union considering this ere strike."
"Well you can stay down there and consider this 'ere lockout."

DETAILS GIVEN OF NEWCOMB'S DEATH

D. A. Newcomb has received a letter from the widow of his brother who was murdered some days ago in Sunnyside, Oregon, that controverts the theory that the shooting was done by L. W. W.

Newcomb and a friend were going home together, when two men appeared and ordered them to hold up their hands at the same time.

One of the men fired a bullet into the back of Newcomb's head, and the other man fired a bullet into the back of Newcomb's head.

Newcomb died in a few hours, without recovering consciousness.

Between them the two men carried \$400. On the theory that robbery was the motive of the crime the police have become active, and five men are in the jail at North Yakima under suspicion.

A temporary administrator has been appointed for the estate, so that the store owned by Newcomb could be opened and the business carried on.

Junior Police Will Meet Saturday A.M.

Chief of Police Wood will meet all the boys who have registered for the Junior Police at the Chamber of Commerce rooms in the Elks building on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, when he will explain the workings of the order to the boys and will tell them how to carry them out.

Boys are stepping on each other in their eagerness to be a part of this interesting organization, which is a part of the work of the Community Service. If any parents want to know all about it, let them come to the meeting.

Mrs. McGrath, formerly of the Shoe Mart, is now working at Egan's store.

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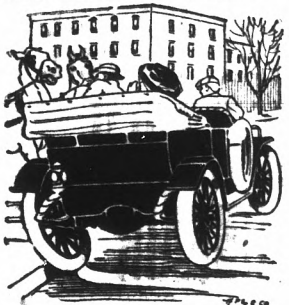


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A LETTER TO UNCLE SAM

My Dear Uncle:

I take my pen in hand, although it is not much easier to write with than those you have around your postoffices, to let you know that I have tightened up my belt another hole and hope you are enjoying the same God's blessing—it is the only substitute for a T-bone steak I know of that has no H. C. L. attachment.

As nearly all the rest of your nephews and many nieces are telling you every day just how to run your business, I feel that I ought to do the same, or I would not be in good standing in the Proletarian's union. I don't know just what that big word means, but neither does anybody else, so it's all right. The other angle of it is Bourgeois, which is a fellow who revels in the luxury of one clean shirt while the other is being washed, so that ain't me. I'm an editor.

Since you, Dear Uncle, have loaned eight billions to foreign countries lately, there is some how going up about your continuing to be an angel and pie counter to them indefinitely, but don't you pay a bit of attention to such common white trash. What do they know about billions, anyhow? There is not a one of them that could count that much coin if he had it, and if he did have it it would have gone for a Thanksgiving turkey anyway.

Such people, uneducated in high finance and other aristocratic porch-climbing and ship-skuttling, do not understand that our Wall street friends own the bonds now not only of this country but of all the rest of the nations across the pond, and that unless you help out your newly accumulated millions of nephews over there with more billions of dollars they would not be able to meet the interest on their bonds, and so our friends the bond-holders would lose that interest—and of course this must not be. We proletarian scrubs have to lose our business, our homes, and everything else except our good names, untarnished reputations and debts, as occasion may require, but who ever heard of a bond-holder losing the interest on his bond? Why, it is absurd! They would drop dead with heart failure.

Anybody who loans money like out Wall street philanthropists have to these foreigners must have interest on it, but some of these stumps don't seem to grasp the idea. And yet any banker in the country would tell them so, or any pawnbroker, either. Money is money, and anybody who thinks it ain't can find out different by going out and trying to get some.

If you stop lending these geeks across the Atlantic a billion or two every few days, they couldn't buy up all our wheat and sugar and other grub, and thus run the price up where the rest of us have to look through a spyglass at it; as well as maybe defaulting on the interest on bonds, thus causing Mr. Morgan, Mr. Rockefeller and other kind-hearted shepherds of the people to face the awful alternative of having to go to work for a living.

I want to ask you some questions about the Senate and the League of Nations, but will leave that for my next, as I have to hoof out now

and buy another war savings stamp, a membership in the Red Cross, a dance ticket from the Y. M. C. A., chip into the Salvation Army Christmas kettle and sign up on about twenty relief funds backed by leagues whose army of paid secretaries and propagandists have to have their salaries or go to work, also, which is hard luck—I know work is more or less tough, as I have been at it all my life. If I have anything left while out I am going to recklessly blow it in on two-bits worth of beet sugar, regardless of whether that would disqualify me as a Proletariat or not.

Say, Uncle, did you get a turkey? I got a rabbit, all right, and it squealed just like Mr. Swift and Mr. Armour do.

Your Loving Nephew.

HOGS IS HOGS

Nothing, outside of the movies matches the story of hogs as a get-rich-quick proposition. The wonder is that zoos are not all hog inhabited, that parks are not given up to piggeries, and that grunts do not drown the drone of other industries. Fortunately the man that owns a hog; opulent the man who owns a pair!

Think of the possibilities of hog husbandry these halcyon days. Think with what readiness the pig of today is a 200-pound, \$40 citizen, in three months. Think of the proud parents of today who may have ten little ones between the equinoxes, a ton of pork to their credit a little later, and yet other blessings soon to follow. Not only this, but remember that pig progeny multiplies, yea, as the measles spread. Yes, pigs is pigs, a million. A ton of pigs in three months, from the nursery, is \$400 more, not to mention the old folks at home, perhaps \$120 besides. Where can you invest the latter sum and make so much, with capital secure? It can't be done. At twenty cents hogs make compound interest money look like the roll you lost at the races; they make a gilded money temple look like a lonely bank at the North Pole, a steam-driven cash register look like a slacker.

Is it any wonder the farmer rides to town in his limousine, swings through his fields on a canopied hammock, drawn by gas horses, night and day; has grand pianos and grand opera at home; lives like a potentate, the envy of the Mint? Hog-raisers have coin in every coffee pot, bonds in each boot leg. They have school houses on every hilltop, and every highway is a boulevard. Hog mines have gold mines distanced.

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When you want cigars, cigarettes and tobacco call at Pat Boyle's, 10th and Macdonald. 23-6

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JAMES WALKER WILL DISTRIBUTE GAME

James Walker, out esteemed and affable real estate agent, is preparing to spend Thanksgiving in the vicinity of San Luis Obispo, where he will hunt big game.

His many friends are anxiously awaiting his return as it is understood he has already promised to distribute several hundred pounds of wild meat.

THE RICHMOND THEATRE

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
Mary Pickford in
"Captain Kidd"
Vitagraph Comedy
Pathe News
FRIDAY
Viola Dana in
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[Number Forty-six of a Series.]



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DOMESTIC INDUSTRIAL

W. O. W. Annual Officers Elected

Log Cabin Camp No. 637, Woodmen of the World, elected the following officers for the coming year at the meeting last night: Consul Commander, C. L. Theis; Adj. Lieut., A. Moran; Banker, J. MacGrath; Clerk, H. L. Springer; Es-cort, Abel E. Wallin; Watchman, J. H. Boelburg; Sentry, J. Baznik; Manager, 18 months, Geo. F. Black; Manager, unexpired term, J. P. Lucas.

These officers will be installed at an early meeting of the organization.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—4-room furnished house. Call between 12 and 1 or 5 o'clock, 139 1st St. 23-2

WANTED—Clean rags at the News office. 26-4

S. W. V. Will Give Dinner To Officers

A joint reception and hall will be given Friday night at Bank hall by the Spanish War Veterans and the Mary B. Hamilton Auxiliary to their grand officers. The session is open to Spanish War Veterans, Auxiliary members and their invited guests.

A dinner will precede the reception, at which the grand officers alone will be entertained. This is the big event of the year in Spanish Veteran circles and it promises to be unusually fine, under the management of Mrs. Mildred Hammond and O. A. Poulson.

Dec. 5.—Bazaar and Food Sale of Ladies of First Baptist church.

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There are dealers, however, who figure on selling a customer "just once"—they make statements which time proves to be false. The materials show up as inferior—the instrument was constructed cheaply in every detail—it was made to "sell cheap"—it soon sounds tinny—the action gives out—it is a failure—it does not stand THE "TEST OF TIME."
As the customer must rely greatly upon the dealer, why not be careful in your choice of him? In the first place, a reliable dealer will only carry good instruments. In the second place, you can depend upon his statements. He is in business to stay—he knows his Pianos will "stand up"—that they will give good, long service—that you will be satisfied. He knows that you will recommend others to him—that, should occasion arise, you will purchase of him again—all because his Pianos are as represented and do STAND "THE TEST OF TIME."
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Local Laconics Of Richmondites

Rev. D. W. Calfee is ill at his home with a too high blood pressure. He is attended by Dr. C. L. Abbott, who is making efforts to reduce it.

Irene Johnson and Bert Garrett will appear before Judge Odell Friday morning at 10 o'clock for their preliminary hearing on a charge of robbing Virgil Reed, the Sixth street photographer, two weeks ago.

Police Officer McCandless received a letter last night from his son, Sergeant Harry McCandless, from Paris, where he has been since the Armistice with the Army of Occupation. He is to be stationed at Antwerp on December 1st, where he will remain for one year in all probability.

J. T. Borton, who is well armed with aliases, will have his preliminary hearing before Judge Odell this morning.

Mrs. Vada Mills was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Harvey Mills yesterday, through the efforts of Attorney Robinson. Mrs. Mills is the daughter of Contractor Claver of this city.

The employees of the Pacific Gas & Electric company went to Oakland last night to attend the bi-weekly dance of the company.

All the local employees of the Pacific Gas & Electric company went to Marysville last Saturday afternoon to partake of a duck stew that was made of 200 ducks shot by the Marysville service corps. The dinner was held in Woodman hall and was attended by about 450 employees of the company.

Mrs. W. R. Biggs of Canada is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shrader. She expects to make her home in Oakland.

Everybody is buying Thanksgiving dishes. The clerks at Shrader's can hardly fill the shelves with delicate china before they are emptied and the delivery wagons filled. Lots of good dinners are going to be served on Thursday.

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth Street and Macdonald Avenue. J. B. Hunt, N. G.; J. W. Shell, Recording Secretary, 136 Second Street.

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Santa Claus Beyer To Give Gifts

H. J. Beyer has commenced to be a Santa Claus already, and is going to give away free to his customers a nice pair of roller skates, a box of choice cigars, a big box of fine candy and a large and fancy doll. Mr. Beyer gives with every purchase, large or small, a ticket, and on December 24 he will hold a drawing and present to the lucky ones these presents for their Christmas. This costs nobody a cent. It's all free, so every time you get a luncheon in there, a dish of ice cream, a cigar or candy or anything else, get your ticket, as you may draw one or more of the gifts. Beyer is doing a land office business these days and his new mechanical piano adds sweet music to the other attractions.

FIRST GYM LESSON ON MONDAY NIGHT

Miss Guion of the staff of the University of California has been secured to conduct the class in gymnastics of the One Minute Girls, which is to have its first lesson at the Richmond Club Monday night.

All girls must have gymnasium suits of bloomers, a middy blouse and tennis shoes. They must be ready to take the floor at eight o'clock. A course of fifteen lessons is offered for \$1.50. Girls over eighteen are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Oberst have returned from their honeymoon at Lake Tahoe and go to housekeeping. Mrs. Roberts was Miss Barbara Roth.

Mrs. G. L. Herrick and Mrs. A. C. Burdick went to Oakland last night to hear Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, who was a family friend of theirs in Mason City, Iowa, where she was principal of the city schools.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL
In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Royal R. Case, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Monday, the 8th day of December, A. D. 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, have been appointed as the time and place for proving Will of said Royal R. Case, deceased, and for hearing the application of Elizabeth D. Case, for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary.

Dated, Martinez, November 21, 1919.
J. H. WELLS, Clerk
By S. WELLS, Deputy Clerk.
(Endorsed) Filed Nov. 21, 1919.
By S. WELLS, Deputy Clerk.
C. S. HANNUM, Esq., Attorney for Petitioner. nov 25-29, dec 2-6

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of a telegram signed by all members of a conference committee representing Western Union operators throughout the country. It is estimated that the wage advances will cost the company \$3,000,000 a year.

NEW SCALE FOR R. R. MEN
A Nation-wide wage scale and working agreement has been negotiated between the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, Freight Handlers and Station employees and representatives of the management of the railroads of the country. The new agreement is now before the United States Railroad Administration for adoption, and assurances have been received by local officers of the organization that it will soon be put into effect.

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Conditions

- 1—No girl over twelve years old may be entered.
- 2—Only one nomination blank to be placed to the credit of each contestant.
- 3—Every voting coupon must be certified by one of our sales force.
- 4—No contestant shall solicit votes or patronage while in the store.
- 5—No coupons will be given except at actual time of sale. Do not ask for them at any other time.
- 6—Any coupon showing traces of any change in denomination will be destroyed without being counted.
- 7—No coupons may be deposited in the Ballot Box before Thanksgiving Day, or after 6 o'clock P. M. Christmas Eve.

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